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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

In re Application of:

Examiner: NYA

SEIJI MISHIMA ET AL.

Group Art Unit: NYA

Application No.: NYA

Filed: Herewith

For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING)

ELECTRONIC DEVICE, :

ELECTRONIC SOURCE AND)

IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS, :

AND DEVICE FOR)

MANUFACTURING THE :

ELECTRONIC DEVICE) October 5, 2000

The Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed, together with a copy of a May 8, 2000, International Search Report citing them. An English language version of that International Search Report also is enclosed.

For the concise statement of relevance of the non-English documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449, the Examiner is respectfully referred to the English abstracts attached thereto. Also, the purported relevance of each non-English document is indicated as category 'Y' in the International Search Report.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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